

C.I.A. Chief Puts U.S. 'Well Ahead' Of Soviet in Military Technology

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15 (UPI)—Stan-
field Tusnei, director of the Central Intel-
ligence Agency, has told Congress that
the United States is "well ahead" of the
Soviet Union in military technology while
China was 15 to 20 years behind the Rus-
sians.

Admiral Turner gave his assessment to
the Joint Economic Committee on June
23. A summary and some direct testimony
were made public today. Other parts of
the presentation were made public earlier
this month.

Senator William Proxmire, a Wisconsin
Democrat, asked the C.I.A. chief whether
the Soviet Union trailed the United States
in all aspects of military technology. Ad-
miral Turner replied: "I would be a little
loath to make a categorical statement
that they are not ahead of us in any.
They are certainly ahead of us in some
areas of application."